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For: SINGLE CRYSTAL SUBSTRATE AND

CUTTING METHOD THEREOF

Examiner: M. O. Budd

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Examiner's final Office Action dated November 2, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks.